

# PROJECT 1078 TDE

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 8 Oct 66 Night	2. LOCATION Selfridge AFB, Michigan Multiple
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Possible ASTRO (S/P)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Numerous	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Varied	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS  Observers have watched many objects in the sky that appeared like stars. The objects are flashing red, green, and white in color. The observers have observed many objects on several sights in a row.  The one main witness appears to be unreliable. She is the one who is actually reporting the observations. She even reported that the objects were like stars.  The description is consistent with that of an astronomical observation.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE Varied	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

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They are Mr. & Mrs. [REDACTED]

Their address is [REDACTED]

He is [REDACTED] the Franklin Fire Dept.

Now we have about 3 1/2 acres & the warwicks

have about some amount - When we stood

by their back door we could see the star

perfectly & it flashed Red & Green with white

I believe on & off & it flickered but it was

very bright & we could see it alternate red then

green as if it went around. The warwicks had

guests & one came out and saw it with us.

We stayed there the longest time and I came

home & called The Franklin Police but they never

came I don't think because I didn't see them.

We left it there & Mrs. [REDACTED] commented  
that it looked like it was coming down.



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So I went out there again to check it and it was still there so I called him & we all 3 went to take a look. The Result we spent the rest of the evening in his room which ~~was a very active place~~ until about 11:30 or 20 watching this one & we saw others & they were very active shooting across trees. The position I was in I didn't see them just but the boy did until they reached the tops of the trees then I saw it. There were 3 I believe all told that evening in the front. -

At about 11:30 we all went to bed & left them up there. At 2 o'clock I woke up and I believe was a rather unusual room. I looked up to see if the stars were there -

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I saw the one still bright, still green when  
the moon I will explain at a later time.

All I can tell you it was very bright - and it  
changed shape between 2° dark + perhaps  $\frac{1}{2}$  hr to  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  hr when I returned back to bed. From a  
whole full moon to a  $\frac{1}{4}$  moon but it was  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  on the bottom - This may be normal - I don't  
know but I do know I've never seen a moon  
like it. and I'm 49  $\frac{3}{4}$  yrs old, Most moons  
I've looked at ~~where~~ were not so hard to look at.

I was almost blinded by its light. In fact  
I've noticed my eyes have been bothering me from  
looking at all these phenomenal things in  
the sky. This moon was not smooth Round like  
my other moons I have seen. It was jagged around



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the edges - It looks like this - I wouldn't know.

Then it looked not like a moon but a hanging  
ball full of clusters of stars & it twinkled  
like Rhinestones would. That's like diamonds -

Even when it became compressed to a quarter  
moon - It had layers of strong light that I  
found it not hard to look at that I couldn't  
really tell you any better what I saw - If  
I see more moons like the one then I will  
know it is normal for moons to look like this  
but if I don't then I know this moon was  
not the normal moon that you see all the  
time -

One more thing -

I was a real bright moon - It lit  
up the area in my bedroom where my bed is.

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Because the moon too was across Birchcliff  
& was shining in my bedroom which is at the  
far end of the house - It is the master bedroom  
& it has 2 large windows - plus a dressing room  
facing the back of the house. My bed was in front  
of the window & it lit up that area but  
still there were no shadows on the ground as  
it always does with a bright moon. Because  
I love to watch the shadows on the ground I  
noticed there were not any - the ground was  
dark but my window was lit up & all  
in front of it. I called the telephone operator &  
asked if there was a moon that night as when  
we went to bed, there was no moon as far as  
any one could recall. - So the operator couldn't know  
the switch board & go to the window so she couldn't tell me.



We can separate planes with white light and red lights as some went by .  
We could hear motors from planes.  
When they passed the noise was gone too.

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"UFO" Reporting Data (continued)

c. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

(1) Use one or any combination of the following items: Ground-visual, air-visual, ground-electronic, air-electronic. (If electronic, specify type of radar.)

Ground Visual

(2) Statement as to optical aids (telescopes, binoculars, etc.) used and description thereof.

We sure wish we had telescopes, binoculars = it would help.

(3) If the sighting occurred while air-borne, give type of aircraft, identification number, altitude, heading, speed, and home station.

d. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) Zulu time-date group of sighting around 8 p.m.

(2) Light conditions. (Use one of the following terms: night, day, dawn, dusk.)

Night

e. LOCATION OF OBSERVER(s). Give exact latitude and longitude of each observer, and/or geographical position.

f. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER(s):

(1) Civilian - Name, age, mailing address, occupation, and estimate of reliability.

Mrs. Ed [REDACTED] 49-3/4 years old, son [REDACTED] 12 years old, neighbors Mrs. & Mrs. [REDACTED] and their 25 year old son [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. Another friend I do not have her name was visiting the [REDACTED] at the time.

(2) Military - Name, grade, organization, duty and estimate of reliability.

N/A

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Selfridge AFB, Mich.



"UFO" Reporting Data:

a. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT(S):

(1) Shape Stars and the Moon

(2) Size compared to a known object (use one of the following terms: Head of a pin, pea, dime, nickel, quarter, half dollar, silver dollar, baseball, grapefruit, or basketball) held in the hand at about arm's length.

Size Good size (1) star (I'm not any good on size)

(3) Color Red & Green (Green \* White - 1 all green (large)

some small all green

(4) Number All told - I'd say 25 or so, but they come & go- you cannot count them all.

(5) Formation, if more than one They are all around everywhere here.

(6) Any discernible features or details Moon Very Bright-changed shape  
Sun. Oct 9, 66.

(7) Tail, trail, or exhaust, including size of same compared to size of object(s) \_\_\_\_\_

(8) Sound; if heard, describe sound No Sound

(9) Other pertinent or unusual features Some stand still, others go

up and down - some shoot across other tree tops, or out in the sky.

b. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT(S):

(1) What first called the attention of observer(s) to the object(s)?

1 Green red star - by son [redacted] age 12, at about 8 p.m. or so

(2) Angle or elevation and azimuth of object(s) when first observed.

Up in the sky

(3) Angle or elevation and azimuth of object(s) upon disappearance.

It seemed to be coming down when we left it there & came home.

(4) Description of flight path and maneuvers of object(s).

Name it and they have done it.

(5) How did the object(s) disappear? Instantaneously to the North, etc.)?

Some disappear and re-appear

(6) How long were the objects(s) visible? (Be specific, 5 minutes, 1 Hour, etc. Some are here all night in some spot, or at least I check them out as far as about 4 a.m.)



Selfridge AFB, Mich.

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
HEADQUARTERS 1ST FIGHTER WING (ADC)  
SELFDRIDGE AIR FORCE BASE, MICHIGAN 48045

8 Oct 66.



REPLY TO  
ATTN OF:

LMCIO

4 November 1966

SUBJECT:

UFO Sighting

TO:

AFSC (FTD) Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

1. The attached correspondence was not forwarded previously because we did not regard the witness as reliable.
2. However, she has telephoned us many times in the past few weeks, and has threatened to write to the President of the United States if we do not "take action."
3. We therefore felt that her letters should be brought to your attention. We feel you have dealt with matters of this nature in the past and could probably advise us on what steps to take, if any, in a case like this.

FOR THE COMMANDER

*Mina P. Costin*

MINA P. COSTIN, Captain, USAF  
Chief, Information Division

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1. Mrs. [REDACTED]  
Letter.

2. UFO Report

*Astro*



Oct 12 - Wed - Tom & I watch moving

white & green stars -

Oct 13 Thurs - Cloudy evening

faintly visible moving green star

Moon on mirror on wall reflecting

a window about half way around 2° lat

Never saw this before.

No moon outside because I looked as I

got up - as I woke up just then &

opened the draperies. No moon again

outside when I looked out of both windows

But moon still on the mirror on the wall

One. 1 green star not alternating

visible on the ground across street

at some time.

Oct 14 -

Letter to you - If this keeps  
up I will be writing a book before I  
get some help from anyone.



Oct 14 1966

Friday

Gentlemen :

I am enclosing my first letter  
that started last night but if I  
have to rewrite it I will be too long at  
it because I'm real ~~tired~~ tired. I  
can't keep up - My 12 yr old son has been  
sick along with the all happening.  
So if you can't make it out real well I  
will correct it perhaps later on. I will  
give the dates of these unusual occurrences.

Oct 8 Sat 1966 - First night

Oct 9 Sun 2<sup>o</sup> clock in morning moon

Oct 9 Sun night Cloudy + rain here I don't

Oct 10 Monday Cloudy reminds of old day

Oct 11 Tues - 6 stars around my house  
Interinary green & white light



If you wait to long perhaps I will get  
confused, at so many things happening I  
will not be able to give them in the  
right relation - Since I'm almost seeing  
it every night then its difficult to keep track  
of and I perhaps will not try to keep up  
with it if I am too tired. This is  
the best I can even right at the moment.  
Since my health is not very good I  
couldn't stand any harassment or my  
family. I will do the best I can for the  
conditions I'm working under for each day.

Sincerely Yours

Mrs. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Telephone.



Important

Oct 14 - 1965

Friday.

Please keep it confidential until  
it is all checked out. I believe I'm not  
here to ask you for an explanation.  
I believe I'm here to give you one.  
This is not the first phenomenon in  
my life - the first occurred 33 1/2 yrs ago  
& I've not discussed it very much with  
anyone because of experience of telling it  
& seeing incredible disbelief on people's faces.  
This can be checked out as I told it  
somewhere where I believe it will help  
explain it.

(over)



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So you can see by that this is not  
something I planned for my self or by  
my self.

Sat night Oct 8 - about 8 o'clock or  
just when it was getting dark my son <sup>Tom</sup> age 12  
was out doors playing with one of jumps outside  
the back door in the back yard. He was as  
he said about to come in when he saw the  
special looking Star - He called me out &  
I saw it - it was across my back yard &  
the whole of my neighbors property and across  
the street a so from there. So Tom & I  
followed it and we called on the Phone  
these neighbors to come & see what they  
did.



Oct 13-1966

Gentlemen:

I am not filling out your form ✓  
because I don't know East from West -  
North from South - That's the truth -

I am not a star gazer only I'm aware  
that most stars have been on the whole  
rather just up there and I never  
questioned it beyond that. I am not  
a moon gazer only that I know moonlight  
on the ground and I love to look out at  
night & see it on the ground & see  
the shadows every where. The beauty of it all.

The lady in your office told me just to  
write a letter telling it as best as I can.



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As we went back and forth we noticed another  
to the side of our property doing some only it  
was green & white alternating light. ~~It was~~  
was feeling well & he was scared so I brought  
him in to calm him down but every so often  
he ran to to check on the one that was green & white.  
It then moved and crossed the street to where  
it ~~now~~ remained all night. This is across  
Briarcliff facing our house. - about 9 o'clock  
or so my older son Jim came home - he's 25 yrs  
old & we told him about our evening. He put us  
down - He thought we had flied or something -  
any way he wasn't going to accept our story -  
So he went into his room to watch Television -